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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

The Official Action dated June 30, 2004, has been carefully reviewed and considered. The following Remarks, taken with the attached Declaration under 1.132, are believed sufficient to establish the patentability of pending claims, 1, 4-14, 19 and 63, and place the present application in condition for allowance. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

A complete **Listing of the Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.